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Gulf of California

Grand Bay NERR

Gulf of Mexico

Mexico

(Mexico City)

Guatemala

(Hawaii)

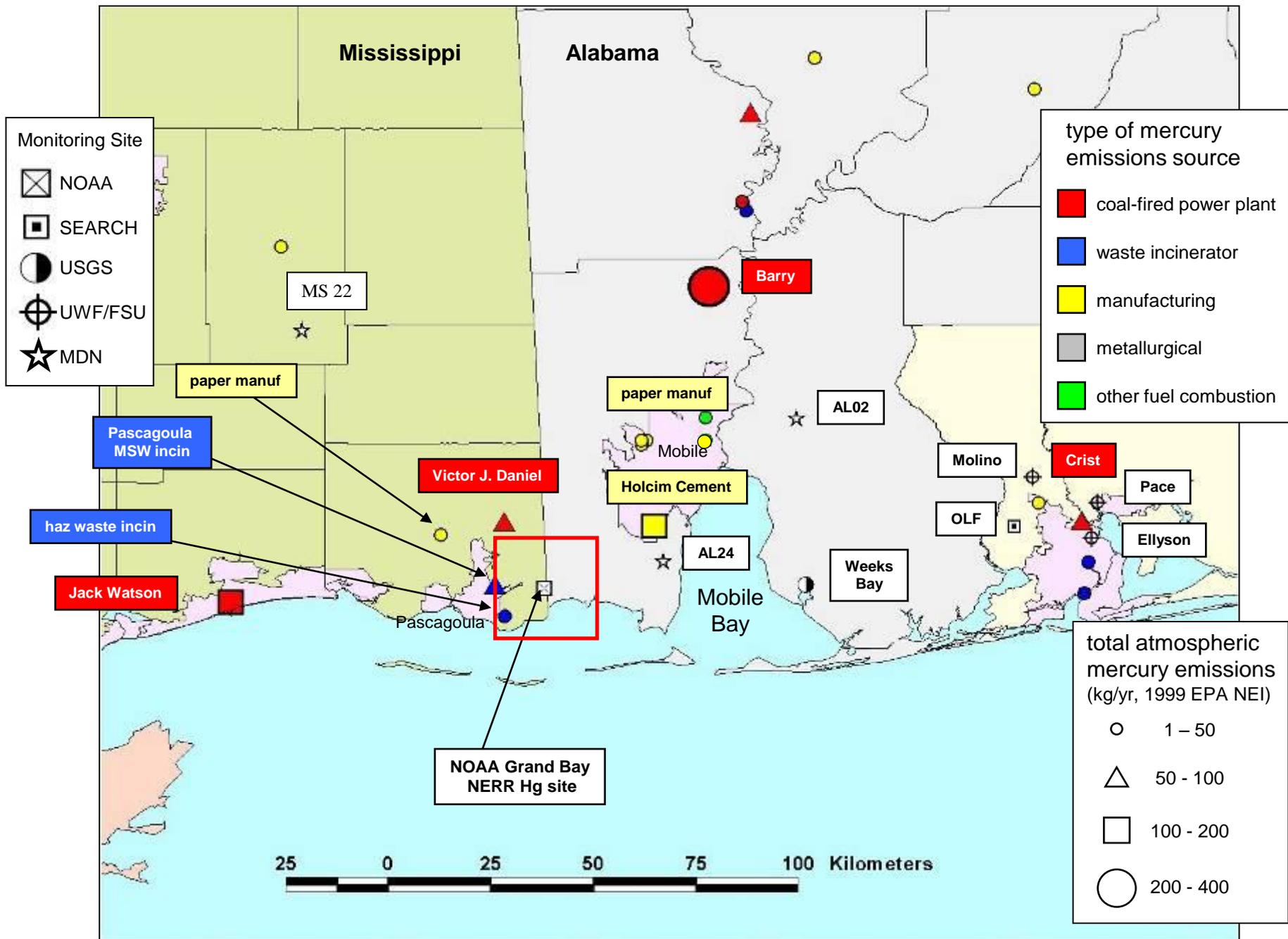


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Atmospheric Mercury Measurement Site at the Grand Bay NERR, MS

view from top of the tower



**mercury and trace gas
monitoring tower
(10 meters)**



Atmospheric Measurements at the Grand Bay NERR

Elemental mercury * 2	}	“Speciated” Atmospheric Mercury Concentrations
Fine particulate mercury * 2		
Reactive gaseous mercury * 2		
Sulfur dioxide	}	Trace gases to help understand and interpret mercury data
Ozone		
Carbon Monoxide		
Nitrogen Oxides (NO, NO _y)		
Wind speed, Wind Direction	}	Meteorological Data
Temperature, Relative Humidity		
Precipitation Amount		
Total Mercury & Methyl Mercury in Precipitation	}	WET DEPOSITION: Currently being added, in collaboration with MS DEQ and U.S. EPA
Trace Metals in Precipitation		
Major Ions in Precipitation		

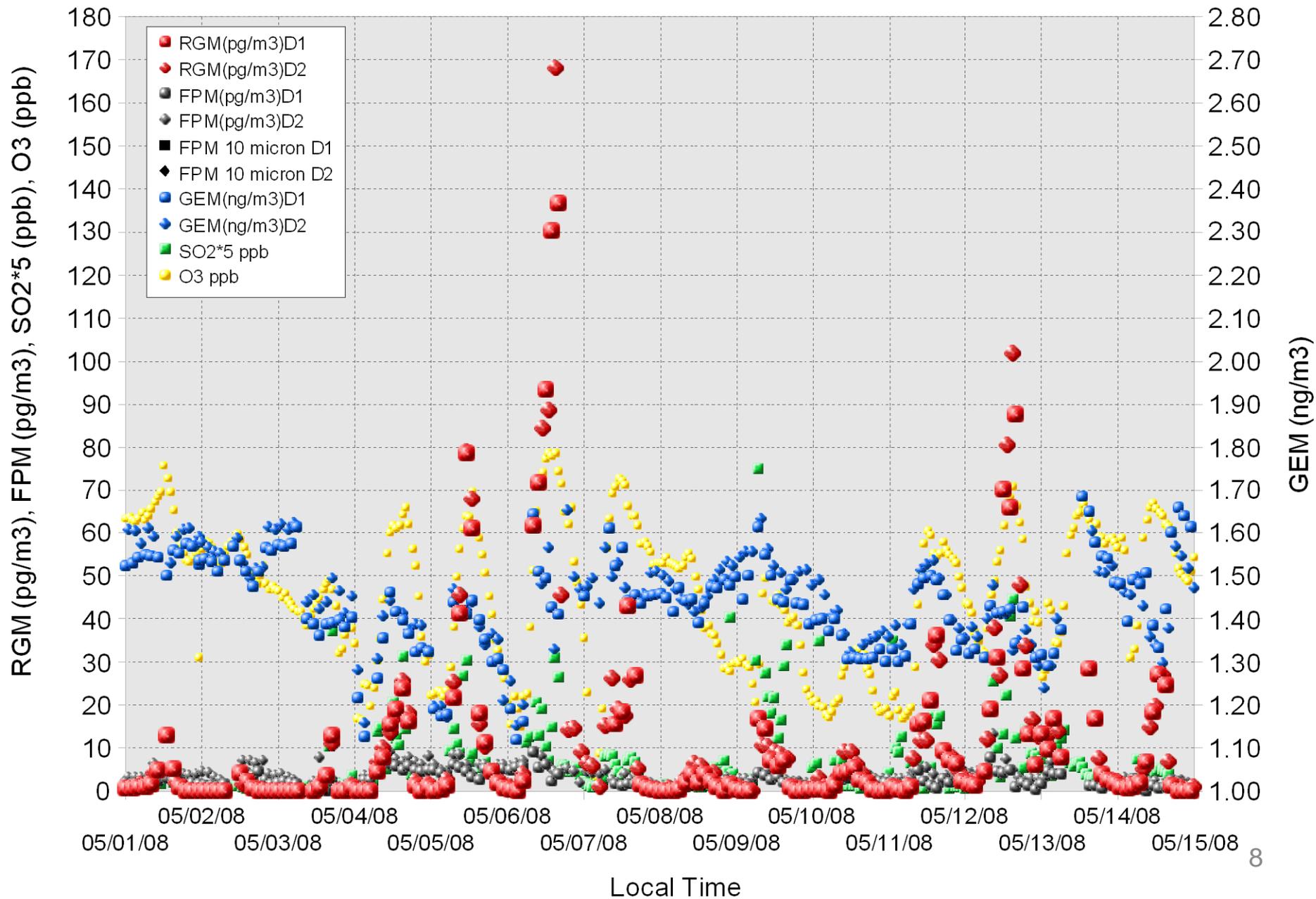


Instrumentation inside the trailer at the Grand Bay NERR site



Speciated Atmospheric Mercury and Selected Trace Gas Concentration Measurements at Grand Bay NERR

Courtesy of Winston Luke and Paul Kelley (NOAA ARL) and Jake Walker (Grand Bay NERR) (Preliminary Values)



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- ❑ **Inclusion of Requested Receptors in Future Projects**

- ❑ **Collaboration with special HYSPLIT versions (mercury, dioxin...)**

- ❑ **Model Intercomparisons**

A satellite view of Earth showing the Western Hemisphere, including North and South America. The oceans are a deep blue, and the continents are green and brown. A large, swirling white cloud formation is visible in the Atlantic Ocean. The word "Thanks!" is overlaid in white text in the center of the image.

Thanks!